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# Society

## EVENTS OF INTEREST IN AND OUT OF TOWN

**Mrs. Thomas Watt Gregory Hostess at Buffet Luncheon Today.**

**Children's Country Home Ball Tonight—Mrs. S. C. Neale Entertains—Dinners—Teas—Notes.**

Mrs. Thomas Watt Gregory entertained at a buffet luncheon today for Miss Jane Gregory and her house guests, Miss Mary Bryan and Miss Mary Taylor of Texas.

The guests included Miss Dorothy Dennett, the Misses Chase, Miss Beatrice Dulin and her house guest, Miss Lillian Sutton of Texas; Miss Marjorie Helmbold, Miss Hamilton, Miss Laura Graves, Miss Kindelberger, Miss Burleson, Miss Thompson, Miss Anita Kite, Miss Smith, Miss Fitz, Miss Pocahontas Butler, Miss Mary Howry, Miss Waters, Miss Johnson, Miss Lanette Smith, Miss Lucy Henry.

Mrs. John Richey is entertaining informally at bridge this afternoon in honor of Mrs. Rolfe Bolling of Panama, who is the house guest of Mrs. Ashton Clapham.

Mrs. Shackelford entertained at luncheon yesterday at Congress Hall, assisted by Mrs. Champ Clark, in compliment to Mrs. Sam B. Cook of Jefferson City. The guests were the ladies of the Missouri delegation and Mrs. David F. Houston and Mrs. Joseph W. Folk.

Mrs. Lloyd W. Bowers has returned from California. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Bowers will arrive from Chicago today to spend the holidays with Mrs. Bowers.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thayer McMillan of Detroit have announced the engagement of the former's sister, Miss Doris McMillan, to Mr. Stewart Lansing Pittman of Flushing, L. I. Miss McMillan is a daughter of the late Mr. William C. McMillan and a granddaughter of Mrs. James McMillan of this city.

The retiring minister of China and Mme. Shah and their family will leave this city Friday and early in January will sail from San Francisco for China.

Miss Katherine Lawton was the guest of honor at a luncheon given by the Misses Thompson at their home on 14th street today.

The marriage is announced of Miss Madeline E. Hewitt and Dr. Leith L. Sinclair, both of Washington, D. C., in Baltimore, Thursday, December 16, 1915. The Rev. W. F. Way performed the ceremony. Dr. and Mrs. Sinclair will reside in this city.

Mrs. S. C. Neale was hostess at a delightful luncheon today, given at her residence on 16th street, in compliment to Mrs. Myron M. Parker, Jr.

The decorations were yellow and green, and the guests included Mrs. Ten Eyck Wendell, Mrs. Robert Roosevelt, Mrs. Arthur Lee, Mrs. Charles Wood, Mrs. Louis Leche, Mrs. Claude A. Swanson, Mrs. Beale R. Howard, Mrs. Isaac T. Mann, Mrs. Tyson Elliot, Mrs. Julia Baughner, Mrs. Charles McKenney, Mrs. James F. Barbour, Mrs. Lee Phillips, Mrs. John Sidney Webb, Mrs. William E. Fendall, Mrs. Myron M. Parker, Jr., and Mrs. Hampton Gary.

The ball to be given for the benefit of the Children's Country Home at Rauscher's tonight promises to be one of the most brilliant affairs of the season.

Mrs. Joseph Leiter, the president of the board, will receive the guests, and the boxholders include Mrs. Hitt, Mrs. Marshall Field, Mrs. Prestore Gibson, Mrs. James W. Wadsworth, Mrs. Edson Bradley, Mrs. Robert McCormick, Mrs. Perry Belmont, Mrs. Richard Townsend, Mrs. Eugene Hale and Mme. Hauge. Among those who will entertain at dinner before the ball will be Mrs. Wadsworth, Mrs. J. Breckinridge Bayne, Mrs. Mackay-Smith, Mrs. Preston Gibson, Mrs. James Mitchell and Mrs. Albert Gleaves.

Mrs. Edward A. Quintard is entertaining at a tea this afternoon at her residence, on Kalorama road, in compliment to her daughter-in-law, Mrs. E. A. Quintard, Jr., a bride of the autumn. Those assisting in the hospital will include Mrs. Theodore W. Noyes, Mrs. W. M. Brodie, Mrs. Francis B. Merchant of New York, sister of the hostess; Misses Frances and Katherine Effinger, Miss Dorothy Taylor, Miss Virginia Minor and Miss Dorothy Quintard.

Mrs. J. Frederick Effinger and Miss Katherine Effinger entertained at a large luncheon today in compliment to Miss Ellie Lejeune, a much-feted debutante of this season.

The guests were seated at one large table and four smaller ones, each having a centerpiece of pink roses and smilax.

They included Miss Jeanette Cowan, Miss Josephine Shields, Miss Catherine Burdette, Miss Georgia Schofield, Miss Ruth Lester, Miss Margaret Douglas, Miss Marie Sims, Miss Lillian Hendrick, Miss Grace Overman, Miss Mary Graham, Miss Maxwell Church, Miss Pauline Stone, Miss Dorothy Wyeth, Miss Ashmeade Fuller, Mrs. Marion Mason, Miss Louise Clark and her house guest, Miss Harmon Bailey; Miss Lois Sprigg, Miss Dorothy Taylor, Miss Mary Wheeler, Mrs. Francis Effinger, Baroness von Winckler, Miss Elizabeth Kingsbury, Miss Wendolene Denys, Miss Elizabeth Walker, Mrs. Marie Peary, Miss Margaret Smith, Miss Antoinette Ray, Miss Dorothy Adams, Miss Helen McEwen and Miss Dorothy Shuey.

The assistant attorney general and Mrs. Samuel J. Graham will entertain informally at dinner on December 27 in honor of Miss Virginia Christine, daughter of Judge Graham and Mrs. Christine of Lynchburg, Va., who will arrive that day to be the guest of Miss Graham.

The Secretary of State and Mrs. Lansing will be the honor guests at a dinner which Rear Admiral and Mrs. Richardson Clover will give this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashmeade Fuller will entertain informally at dinner tonight in honor of Miss Ruth Lester.

The speaker and Mrs. Clark left this afternoon for New Orleans, where they will spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. James Thomson. They expect to be accompanied by Mrs. Thomson upon their return to Washington. Mr. Bennett Clark will spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Robnett, the parents of his fiancée at their home in Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. D. Ligan of Whitehall, near Elliptical City, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mary Tolley Ligan, to Ensign Frederick Gore Richards, U. S. N.

Mrs. Joe Henry Eagle, wife of Representative Eagle of Texas, was hostess yesterday afternoon at a delightful tea given at the Raleigh, in compliment to Miss Jane Gregory and her house guests, Miss Mary Taylor and Miss Mary Shepard Bryan of Texas.

A beautiful decoration of poinsettias, holly and Christmas greens was in place in the drawing room, and Mrs. Eagle received in a becoming gown of

## VISITOR FROM THE SOUTHWEST.



MISS LILLIAN SUTTON  
Of Austin, Tex., who is the house guest of Miss Beatrice Dulin.

brown tulle over blue charmeuse, embroidered in iridescent.

Mrs. Charles S. Hamlin, Mrs. Ollie James and Mrs. John H. Stephens presided at the tea table, and the other assistants were Mrs. Gregory, wife of the Attorney General; Mrs. Alice Pomerehne, Mrs. Robert L. Henry, Mrs. Cone Johnson, Mrs. Trimble, Mrs. Michael Phelan, Mrs. Durrell of Texas, Mrs. Presley Ewing, Miss Beatrice Dulin and her house guest, Miss Lillian Sutton of Texas; Miss Marjorie Helmbold, Miss Wyeth, Miss Tucker, Miss Brooks, Miss Maxwell Church, Miss Margaret Trimble and Miss Gladys Ewing of Texas.

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Harlow, on 21st street, was the scene of a beautiful tea yesterday afternoon, from 5 until 7 o'clock, when their daughter, Miss Catherine D. Harlow, made her formal debut.

The drawing rooms and dining room were decorated with pink roses, ferns and smilax, and a tall screen interwoven with smilax held the many beautiful bouquets sent this charming young bud.

Mrs. Harlow received in a stunning gown of black jetted net over pink charmeuse, while Miss Harlow wore an exquisite gown of white tulle with a tunic beaded in pearls and crystals.

She carried an arm shower of orchids and lilies of the valley. Miss Harriet McKee of New York, house guest of Miss Harlow, wore a charming gown of white tulle taffeta.

Mrs. Thomas Ewing, Mrs. Samuel Spencer and Mrs. Nathan Sargent presided at the tea table, which had a centerpiece of Killarney roses and ferns.

The other assistants were Mrs. Newbold Noyes, Miss Helena K. Elliott, Miss Beatrice Clover, Miss Harriett McKee of New York, house guest of Miss Harlow; Miss Katherine G. McClintock, Miss Fainstock, Miss Julia Brice, Miss Georgia Schofield, Miss Sally Beecher and Miss Juliet Crosby.

Mr. and Mrs. Newbold Noyes chaperoned the dinner, which followed the tea, when the receiving party was joined by Miss Francis Williams, Miss Ethel Harriman, Lieut. James A. Dorst, Capt. Wiggins, Mr. Manning F. Stead, Mr. Robert Stead, Mr. William Flather, Jr., Mr. Stedman S. Hanks, Mr. Thaddeus Thompson, Mr. Franklin N. Ellis, Mr. William Bowie Clarke, Mr. Scott Baker, Capt. Richard Williams, Mr. J. Cotton Smith, Mr. Pendleton Turner,

in honor of Judge and Mrs. W. M. Morley of San Francisco, who are spending some time at the Willard.

Their guests were Senator and Mrs. Thompson, Senator Phelan, Miss Phelan, Rear Admiral and Mrs. Griffin, Capt. and Mrs. Mark Bristol, Medical Director and Mrs. Francis S. Nash, Dr. and Mrs. Charles Lowndes, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Dunn and Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hewson.

Miss Elma S. Moulton, a senior at Wellesley College, has arrived in the city to spend the holidays with her parents, Judge and Mrs. Hosea E. Moulton.

Mr. Herbert L. Gray, formerly of Washington, D. C., was married in Denver, Col., on December 4, to Miss Azalia Bettencourt. They will make their home in Denver, at present residing at Hotel West Court.

Senator Husting of Wisconsin and his brother, Otto C. Husting, and family are occupying the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Gray at 1611 Irving street during the session of Congress. Mr. and Mrs. Gray are at the Hotel Logan.

Dr. and Mrs. William E. Dieffenderfer will entertain Christmas night in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Parker H. Harbel of Fort Lapwai, Idaho.

Dr. and Mrs. Harbel are house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Walker, who will entertain for them New Year eve.

Capt. and Mrs. Alexander M. Watson were hosts at dinner last evening at their home in the marine barracks, later taking their guests, Gen. and Mrs. George Barnett, their house guests, Miss Christie Clark, and Capt. Thomas Holcomb, U. S. M. C., to the opera.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gaff entertained at dinner last evening, later taking their guests, Miss Caroline Oden Jones, Miss Helena Elliott, Mrs. Thomas Spring-Rice and Mr. Caldwell, to the opera, where they occupied a box.

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Mr. Thomas Ewing, Jr., and Mr. John Pitney, Jr., additional guests came in for the dance which followed.

The Washington Chapter of the Trinity College Alumnae Association, of which Mrs. Lawrence V. Grogan is the President, will hold its annual dance at Rauscher's, on February 11.

Mr. Justice and Mrs. Mahlon Pitney entertained at dinner last evening.

The Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Daniels entertained at dinner last night

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Robert M. Strain, sixty, for thirty-two years a railway postal clerk between Bristol and Chattanooga, was found dead in his bed at Bristol, Va.

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